

RUHNKE & BARRETT
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

47 PARK STREET
MONTCLAIR, N.J. 07042
973-744-1000
973-746-1490 (FAX)

29 BROADWAY, SUITE 1412
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10006
212-608-7949

DAVID A. RUHNKE (davidruhnke@ruhnkeandbarrett.com) ♦ JEAN D. BARRETT (jeanbarrett@ruhnkeandbarrett.com)

REPLY TO **MONTCLAIR** OFFICE

September 6, 2016

Via ECF

Hon. Brian Cogan, U.S.D.J.
United States Courthouse
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: *United States v. Muhanad Al Farekh*,
15-cr-00268 (BMC)

Dear Judge Cogan:

We are writing, respectfully, with the consent of the United States, to request that the status conference presently scheduled in this matter for September 12 at 10:00AM be adjourned for one week to September 19 at the same time. The reason for the request is that the current date will conflict with a major Islamic religious observance.

If September 19 is not a convenient date for the court, the parties will confer with one another and your clerk in an effort to arrive at a new date.

Your Honor's attention to this request is appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

Sean M. Maher
David A. Ruhnke
Co-counsel to Mr. Al Farekh

By: /s/ David A. Ruhnke

Copies to all parties via ECF

C:\Case Files\Al Farekh\2016.09.06 LTR to court re next status.wpd

RUHNKE & BARRETT
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

name
, 2016
Page 2